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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Noriko SAKASHITA et al.

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For: **PROCESSING AID FOR VINYL CHLORIDE RESIN AND VINYL CHLORIDE
RESIN COMPOSITION**

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: March 27, 2002

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated November 29, 2001 for one month from February 28, 2002 to March 29, 2002.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the cost of the extension. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340. This paper is filed in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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